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Turin, February 27.

HIS Britannick Majeſty having been graciouſly pleaſed to appoint the Earl of Carliſle, now at this Court in the Progreſs of his Travels, to be one of the Knights of the moſt Ancient and moſt Noble Order of the Thiſtle; and having deſired the King of Sardinia to repreſent his Majeſty in creating his Lordſhip a Knight, and inveſting him with the Enſigns of that Order; his Sardinian Majeſty very readily agreed thereto, and accompanied his Conſent with many Expreſſions of Affection and Good-will towards the King of Great Britain. And accordingly the Ceremony was performed this Day in the following Manner:

The King of Sardinia being in his Chamber of Audience at half an Hour paſt Ten in the Morning, with their Royal Highneſſes the Duke of Savoy, the Prince of Piedmont, and the Duke of Chablais, and their Serene Highneſſes the Princes Louis and Victor de Carignan, ordered the Lord of the Bed-Chamber in Waiting to introduce their Excellencies Don Emanuel de Valguernera, Knight of the Supreme Order of the Annonciada, General of Cavalry, and Great Chamberlain; the Count de la Trinité, Knight of the ſame Order, Lieutenant-General of Foot, and Grand Maſter of the Houſehold; the Count Solar de Favria, Lieutenant-General and Captain of the Life-Guards in Waiting; the Marquiſſes de Laconi and de Cavours, Firſt Gentlemen of the Chamber, and Grand-Croix of the Military Orders of St. Maurice and St. Lazarus; M. de Montfort, Lieutenant-General and Colonel of a Regiment of Foot; the Count de Priocca, Brigadier of the King's Forces, and Firſt Equerry in Waiting; Mr. Potter, charged with his Britannick Majeſty's Affairs at this Court; and the Marquis of Kildare.

The Earl of Carliſle, who was waiting in the Great Drawing-room; was introduced into the Chamber of Audience by the Maſter of the Ceremonies, being ſupported on his Right Hand by his Excellency the Count de la Roque, Knight Companion of the Supreme Order of the Annonciada, General and Inſpector General of the Infantry, and Colonel of the Regiment of Guards; and on his Left by M. le Comte de Sana, Knight, Grand Croix of the Order of St. Maurice and St. Lazarus, Lieutenant General of the King's Forces.

A Gentleman Uſher preceded them, carrying on a large Salver the Enſigns of the Order of the Thiſtle, the Book of Statutes, and the Letters Patent of Creation of a Knight of the ſaid Order.

The King, being covered, was ſeated in a Chair of State.

The Earl of Carliſle, at his Entrance into the Chamber, made, as well as the two Knights on his Right and Left, a low Reverence; a Second about the Middle of the Room; and a Third when they approached near to the King. The Maſter of the Requeſts in Waiting for the Week, (who had been previouſly furniſhed with a Tranſlation of the Patent, by virtue of which his Britannick Majeſty has created his Lordſhip a Knight Companion of the Order of the Thiſtle) read the ſame aloud by the King's Command.

The Reading of it being ended, the Earl of Carliſle kneeled down before the King; and the firſt Equerry (who officiated in the Abſence of the Maſter of the Horſe) delivered to the King a drawn Sword, with which his Majeſty touched his Lordſhip's Shoulder three Times, ſaying to him: "I Create you a Knight in the Name of "my Brother the King of Great Britain."

The Gentleman Uſher then preſented to his Majeſty the Book of the Statutes of the Order of the Thiſtle, which the King delivered to the new created Knight, who, on receiving it, made the following Declaration: "I Frederick Howard "Earl of Carliſle, do promiſe and ſwear to the "King of Great Britain, my Maſter, to ob-"ſerve the Statutes of the moſt Noble Order of "the Thiſtle, in every Point and Particular."

Whereupon the Gentleman Uſher preſented to his Majeſty the Ribbon, with the Inſignia of the Order, which the King put over the Knight's Left Shoulder, delivering to him alſo the Original Patent of Creation: And then his Lordſhip aroſe and withdrew; the ſame Ceremonies being obſerved as at his Entrance.

Being returned into the great Drawing-Room, his Lordſhip ſubſcribed the Oath preſcribed by the Statutes, in the Preſence of Mr. Potter, M. de Montfort, and the Marquis of Kildare, who alſo ſigned their Names as Witneſſes.

Paris, March 10. On Account of the Inconveniency that would ariſe from Foreigners, coming into France and not going to Paris, being detained for Want of a proper Paſſport from hence, Explanatory Orders have been ſent to the Frontiers; in Conſequence of which ſuch Foreigners, as do not come to Paris, will have no Occaſion for a Paſſport from hence, but from the Principal Officers of the Place where they ſhall happen to be.

Whitehall, March 12, 1768.

Whereas it has been humbly repreſented to the King, That on Friday the 19*th of February laſt, at Eight o'Clock in the Evening, a Rick of Peaſe, belonging to John*

[Price Three-Pence.]

John Bullock, of Dripſhill in the County of Worceſter, was ſet on Fire, and entirely conſumed; and that many Ricks, as alſo the Houſe and Outhouſes of the ſaid John Bullock, were in great Danger of being deſtroyed: His Majeſty, for the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice the Perſons concerned therein, is hereby pleaſed to promiſe His moſt gracious Pardon to any one of them, (except the Perſon who actually ſet Fire to the ſaid Rick) who ſhall diſcover his Accomplice or Accomplices therein, ſo that he, ſhe, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

SHELBURNE.

And as a farther Encouragement the ſaid John Bullock doth hereby promiſe a Reward of Thirty Pounds *to any Perſon or Perſons making ſuch Diſcovery as aforeſaid, (except as above excepted) to be paid upon the Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders.*

General Poſt-Office, March 5, 1768.

His Majeſty's Poſtmaſter-General thinks it neceſſary to give this Public Notice, to all Members of Parliament and others whom it may concern, That by an Act of the Fourth Year of His Majeſty's Reign, no Letters or Packets ſhall be exempted from paying the Duty of Poſtage, except to or from Members of Parliament during the Sitting of any Seſſions of Parliament, or within Forty Days before or Forty Days after any Summons or Prorogation of the ſame. From the Diſſolution, therefore, of the preſent Parliament, all Letters and Packets are to be charged with the Duty of Poſtage, until Forty Days before the Meeting of the new Parliament.

By the ſaid Act, printed Votes, or Proceedings in Parliament, or printed News-Papers, being ſent without Covers, or in Covers open at the Sides, which ſhall be ſigned on the Outſide thereof by the Hand of any Member of Parliament, in ſuch Manner as hath been heretofore practiſed, or which ſhall be directed to any Member of Parliament at any Place whereof he ſhall have given Notice in Writing to the Poſtmaſter-General, or to his Deputy at Edinburgh or Dublin reſpectively, ſhall be received Free of the Duty of Poſtage. As this Clauſe contains no Limitation in point of Time, the Peers and Lords of Parliament may continue to ſend and receive Free all ſuch printed Papers; and the Sixteen Peers of Scotland, and every Member of the Honourable Houſe of Commons of the new Parliament, from the Time they are elected.

All Perſons are deſired to take Notice, That as the ſaid Act authorizes certain Clerks in the Offices of the Secretaries of State and in the Poſt-Office, under certain Reſtrictions, to Frank ſuch printed Papers, the Poſtmaſter-General has been pleaſed to give Directions to the Six Clerks of the Roads in this Office, to Frank all ſuch printed Papers as any of the preſent Sixteen Peers of Scotland, or of the Members of the preſent Houſe of Commons, have given Notice of in Writing, that no Interruption poſſibly to be avoided may happen to the News-Papers ſo intended to paſs Free: And ſuch Members of the preſent Parliament, who now permit News-Papers to be addreſſed to them, are deſired, upon their being re-elected, to renew the Notices.

By Command of the Poſtmaſter General,
Anthony Todd, *Secretary.*

Eaſt-India Houſe, March 11, 1768.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the Eaſt Indies do hereby give Notice,

That the Quarterly General Court, before advertiſed to be held at their Houſe in Leadenhall-Street, on Wedneſday the 23d of this Inſtant March, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, is, at the Deſire of Nine Proprietors, to be on ſpecial Affairs.

Office of Ordnance, Tower of London,
February 23, 1768.

The Lieutenant-General and the reſt of the Principal Officers of His Majeſty's Ordnance give Notice, that they will ſell by Publick Auction on Thurſday the 24th of March 1768, ſundry Lots of Old Muſquets, Carbines, Piſtols, Halberts, Muſquet and Piſtol Barrels, Bayonets, Swords, Cartouch Boxes, Belts and Slings, Tarr'd and White Rope, Breechings and Tackle Falls, Horſe-Harneſs, Sheep-ſkins, Tilts, Sand-bags, Bedding, Fire Engines, Old Copper, Lump and Buſhel Iron, Bellows, Pole Axes, Handbills, Spades and Shovels, Hand-Screws, Standing Vices, Tackle Hooks, and other old and unſerviceable Stores, lying in the Tower, where they may be viewed until the Time of Sale; and printed Liſts of the Lots will be delivered to ſuch Perſons as apply for them.

By Order of the Board,
John Boddington.

Victualling-Office, March 8, 1768.

The Commiſſioners for Victualling His Majeſty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that there is Money in the Hands of the Treaſurer of His Majeſty's Navy to pay Intereſt and Non-Intereſt Bills, regiſtered on the Courſe of the Victualling in the Months of September and October 1766, in order that the Perſons poſſeſſed of the ſaid Bills may bring them to this Office to be aſſigned for Payment.

African-Office, March 8, 1768.

Notice is hereby given, that thoſe who have any Demands upon the late Eſtabliſhment at Senegal, under the Direction of the Committee of the Company of Merchants trading to Africa, and having proper Vouchers, may apply for the ſame at their Office in Cooper's-Court, Cornhill, between the Hours of Eleven and One of the Clock, on the firſt Thurſday in every Month for one Year from the Date hereof.

Sam. Poirier, *Secretary.*

Weſtminſter Fire-Office, Bedford-Street,
Covent-Garden, March 3, 1768.

The Office of Principal Clerk being vacant by the Reſignation of Mr. Ogle; Notice is hereby given to all Perſons having any Receipts ſigned by him for Inſurance in this Office, and who have not received their Policies, are deſired to apply for the ſame.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of His Majeſty's Ships undermentioned, who were actually on Board at Taking the Prince de Soubize, a French Privateer, on the 3d of January 1758, (afterwards wreck'd on the Coaſt of Ireland) That they will be paid their reſpective Shares of the Head-Money for ſaid Privateer, at the King's Arms on Tower Hill, as follows:

Alcide and Dolphin on Friday the 25th of March 1768.
Vanguard and Biddeford on Saturday the 26th ditto.

And the Shares remaining unpaid will be recalled at the ſaid Place the firſt Saturday in every Month for Three Years to come.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors (if any) of Simeon Warner, late of 'Eaſt-Lane in the Pariſh of Bermondſey in the County of Surry, Coal-Merchant, deceaſed, are, on or before the 20th Day of April next, peremptorily to come before Peter Holford, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn Chancery-Lane, London, and prove their Debts, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors (if any) of James Tayler, late of Weſton upon Welland in the County of Northampton, Gentleman, deceaſed, are, on or before the 27th Day of April next, peremptorily to come before Peter Holford, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn Chancery Lane, London, and prove their Debts, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

WHereas ſundry Debts are due to the Eſtate of Samuel Webb, late of Briſtol, Merchant, a Bankrupt, from Perſons in the Weſt Indies, and Suits were depending there at the Time of his Bankruptcy relative to ſeveral of ſuch Debts; and the ſaid Samuel Webb is going to the Weſt Indies to undertake the Care thereof: The Creditors of ſaid Bankrupt are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate, at the Nag's Head Tavern in Wine-Street, Briſtol, on Thurſday the 31ſt Day of March inſtant, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, to enable the Aſſignees to authorize the ſaid Samuel Webb to compound ſuch or any other Debts, to ſubmit Diſputes to Arbitration, and on other ſpecial Affairs.

ALL Perſons who have any Lien, Charge, or Incumbrance whatſoever upon the Perpetual Advowſon of the Rectory of Aldwinckle All Saints in the County of Northampton, or any otherwiſe upon the Eſtate and Effects of Mr. John Kimpton, of Weſt Ham in the County of Eſſex, Felmonger, are hereby deſired forthwith to bring in a particular Account thereof to T. Phillips, Attorney, in Spitalfields, in order that the ſame may be immediately paid off and diſcharged.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt James Caſſin, of the City of Briſtol, Vintner, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 30th and 31ſt Days of March inſtant, and on the 26th Day of April next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at the Houſe of John Mills, Vintner, called the Buſh Tavern, in Corn-Street in the ſaid City of Briſtol, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Henry Bengough, Attorney, in Briſtol.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Startin and Edward Moody, late of Birmingham in the County of Warwick, Dealers, Chapmen, and Partners, and they being declared Bankrupts, are hereby required to ſurrender themſelves to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 5th, 25th, and 26th Days of April next, at Nine of the Clock in the Forenoon of each of the ſaid Days, at the Houſe of John Barber, known by the Sign of the White Swan in Birmingham aforeſaid, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of their Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupts are required to finiſh their Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of their Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupts, or that have any of their Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Beardſley, Attorney, in Warwick.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt James Preſt, of Coatham in the County of York, Grocer, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 21ſt and 22d Days of March inſtant at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, and on the 26th Day of April next, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Freſſelicque, in Allen's Court, Leadenhall-Street, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Sprott the Younger, of Leominſter in the County of Hereford, Cutler, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 7th and 8th Days of April next at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, and on the 26th Day of the ſame Month at Two o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Dwelling-Houſe of Thomas Griffiths, Innholder, called or known by the Sign of the King's Arms, in Leominſter aforeſaid, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Edward Coleman, Attorney at Law, in Leominſter aforeſaid.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Aaron Levy, of St. Dunſtan's-Street in the Pariſh of St. Dunſtan Canterbury in the County of Kent, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 23d and 31ſt Days of March inſtant at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, and on the 26th Day of April next at Four in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Search, in Furnival's Inn, Holborn, or to Mr. Grey, in the Temple, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt James Boyes, late of Chatham in the County of Kent, Woollen-draper, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 23d and 31ſt Days of March inſtant at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, and on the 26th Day of April next at Four in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Welch, Attorney, in Newgate-Street, London.

THIS is to give Notice, that the Dividend of the Eſtate and Effects of Robert Lloyd and William Stopford, of the City of Cheſter, Hatmakers and Partners, Dealers and Chapmen, which was to have been made on the 19th Day of March inſtant, is put off to a future Day, of which timely Notice will be given.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Charles Blyde, late of Long-acre in the County of Middleſex, Coffeeman, intend to meet on the 21ſt Day of April next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, (and not on the 17th of March Inſtant, as before advertiſed) in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Durham, of Kirkby Malzeard in the County of York, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 6th Day of April next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Houſe of Mrs. Haddons, Innholder, at Ripon in the ſaid County of York, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Perſons, who have made any Claims, are to come and prove the ſame, or they will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Abraham Prout the Elder, of the Pariſh of St. Agnes in the County of Cornwall, Tinner, Victualler, Rope-maker and Dealer, intend to meet on the 18th Day of April next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Houſe of Catherine Job, Innkeeper, at the Sign of the King's Arms, within the Borough of Penryn in the ſaid County, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Perſons, who have made any Claims, are to come and prove the ſame, or they will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt James Royle, late of Salford in the County of Lancaſter, Dealer and Chapman, having deferred the Meeting for a Final Dividend, (of which Notice has been given for the 20th Day of March Inſtant) intend to meet on the 30th Day of March inſtant, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the Houſe of Mr. Joſeph Budworth, known by the Name of the Bull's-Head in Manchester in the County of Lancaſter, in order to make ſuch Final Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Perſons, who have made any Claims, are to come and prove the ſame, or they will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Thomas Terrie, of Old Bond-Street in the County of Middleſex, Stationer, intend to meet on the 20th Day of April next, at Six of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Perſons, who have made any Claims, are to come and prove the ſame, or they will be diſallowed.

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